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April 10, 1875—d&w tm*

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Decatur Daily Republican.

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Pullman Sleeping Cars are run between St. Louis and Cleveland, and Quincy and Toledo, without change.

Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST;

No. 1 Through Express............ 2 55 a. m
" 3 Fast Express............ 1 30 p. m
" 5 Kansas City Express............ 7 25 a. m

GOING EAST;

No 2 Lightning Express............ 11 20 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " .... 1 50 p. m
" 6 New York Fast Line............ 6 04 a. m

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets

Going east............ 9 15 a. m............ 7 15 p. m
Going west............ 2:35 p. m............ 11:30 p. m

PEKIN DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 71 Accommodation............ 6 05 a. m
" 73 Mail............ 2 00 p. m

ARRIVE:

No. 72 Accommodation............ 8 00 p. m
" 74 Mail............ 11 16 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

No 11 Through Express............ 1 00 a. m
" 13 Fast Express............ 1 40 p. m
" 15 Accommodation............ 5 15 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 12 Lightning Express............ 11 15 p. m
" 14 Atlantic "............ 1 25 p. m
" 16 Accommodation............ 9 20 p. m

R. ANDREWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
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K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

THROUGH TIME BY THE I.B.&W ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur...			2 30 p m
Ar Monticello			1 45 "
" Champaign			6 10 "
" Chicago			7 30 a m
Lv Champaign	5 15 a m	1 05 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Danville	6 50 a m	2 50 p m	1 50 a m
T., W. & W. R R			
Lv Decatur...		12 15 p m	11 30 p m
" Tolono		1 15 p m	12 12 a m
Ar Danville		2 55 p m	2 00 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	7 10 a m	3 00 p m	2 00 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 20 a m	6 15 p m	6 50 a m
Cincinnati		10 55 p m	12 15 p m
" Dayton		11 55 p m	2 15 p m
Columbus	11 55 p m	3 05 a m	6 00 p m
Zanesville	2 57 a m		
" Wheeling	8 00 a m		
" Washington	9 10 p m	8 50 p m	12 10 p m
" Baltimore	7 35 p m	10 20 p m	1 50 p m
" Pittsburg	7 25 a m	12 20 p m	2 25 a m
" Harrisburg	3 15 p m	11 05 p m	12 05 p m
" Philadelphia	7 10 p m	3 10 a m	1 15 p m
" New York	10 30 p m	6 50 a m	7 35 p m
" Crestline		4 20 a m	
" Cleveland		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo		1 10 p m	
" Boston		10 00 a m	
" Louisville		12 night	1 10 p m
" Nashville		8 30 a m	

No. 6 via T., W. & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Pullman Palace Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars run on No. 6 from Champaign and Danville to Indianapolis.

GEO. B. WRIGHT, Receiver.
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For *through tickets* and further information, address
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ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

For Terre Haute and Indianapolis.

DEPART.

Atlantic Express............ 9 10 a m
N. Y. Fast Line............ 5:10 p m
.... 11,20 p m

For Peoria.

DEPART

.... 3 15 a m
Accommodation............ 11 53 a m
Day Express............ 8:55 p m

C. T. FOLLETT, Gen. Ticket Ag't,
H. W. HIBBARD, Gen. Freight Ag't,
D. HITCHCOCK, Gen. Sup't,
TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA
C. H. BROWN, Local Fr't & T'k t Ag't, Decatur, Ills.
Feb. 9, 1875.

I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 24, 1875, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger............ 1:15 p m
Freight and Accommodation............ 7:00 a m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Passenger............ 11,15 a m
Freight and Accommodation............ 5,00 p m

H. C. MOORE, Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola.
C. V. LEWIS, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Ag't, Tuscola.
GEO. E. LARY, Agent, Decatur.

Illinois Central R. R

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger............ 1 15 A M Sundays excepted
Stock Express............ 9 25 A M " "
Freight............ 3 25 P M " "
" & accom............ 5 20 P M "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger............ 5 20 P M Sundays excepted
Accommodation, 11 30 A M " "
Freight............ 8 20 A M " "
Freight............ 3 10 P M " "

The 8:25 train going north does not carry passengers.

A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.
J. C. CLARK, Gen'l Manager, "
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agt. Chicago.
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Which will be sold as cheap as the same can be bought in Central Illinois. All kinds of

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MAILS CLOSE

For East on I. M. R. R............ 8:15 A. M.
" East and West, on T. W. & W. 1:00 P. M.
" Chicago and St. Louis............ 1:00 "
" East and West, on P. L. & D. and I. & I. C............ 1:00 "
" South, on Ill. Cent............ 1:30 "
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W............ 1:30 "
" West on I. M. R. R............ 4:15 "
" North & East of Lafayette............ 7:30 "
" Chicago & St. Louis direct............ 7:30 "

MAILS ARRIVE

From Chicago & St. Louis direct............ 5:30 A. M.
" North, South & East of Lafayette............ 5:30 "
" Mattoon and Sullivan............ 6:30 "
" West on I. M. R. R............ 9:30 "
" East and West, on P. L. & D. and I. & I. C............ 12:00 M.
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W............ 12:00 M.
" East & Chicago on T W & W 1:15 P. M.
" East on I. M. R. R............ 5:00 "
" West & St Louis, on T W & W 1:15 "

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.

SING MORE.

Cultivate singing in the family. Begin when the child is not yet three years old the songs and hymns your childhood sang, bring them all back to your memory and teach them to your little ones; mix them altogether, to meet the similar moods, as in after life they come over us so mysteriously sometimes. Many a time and oft, in the very whirl of business; in the sunshine and gaiety of Fifth Avenue, and amid the splendor of the drive in Central Park, some little thing wakes up the memories of early youth—the old mill; the cool spring; the shady tree by the school house—and the next instant we almost see the ruddy cheeks, the smiling faces and the merry eyes of schoolmates, some gray-headed now, most "lie mouldering in the grave." And anon, "the song my mother sang" springs unbidden to my lips and soothes and sweetens all these memories.

At other times, amid the crushing mishaps of business, a mere ditty of the olden time pops up its little head, breaks in upon the ugly train of thought, throws the mind into another channel, light breaks in from behind the cloud in the sky, and a new courage is given to us. The honest man goes singing to his work; and when the day's labor is done, his tools laid aside and he is on the way home, where wife and child and tidy table and cheery fireside await him, he cannot help but whistle or sing.

The burglar never sings. Moody silence, not the merry song weighs down the dishonest tradesman, the perfidious clerk, the unfaithful servant, the perjured partner.—*Hall's Journal.*

THE ANTIQUITY OF INVENTION.

To Noah is attributed the invention of wine, 2347 B. C. Ale was known at least 404 B. C., and beer is mentioned by Xenophon B. C. Backgammon, the most ancient of our games was invented by Palamedes, of Greece, 1224 B. C. Chess is of later date, and originated 680 years before the Christian Era. The first circus was built by Tarquin, 605 B. C., and theatrical representations took place as long as 562 B. C. The first tragedy represented was written by Trespis, 536 B. C. So it seems that the ancients were not as destitute of amusements as one would suppose. Is it not possible that the great philosopher, Socrates, delighted in chess? that Sophocles amused his little friends by taking them to see the gladiators and tragedians? and that even the immortal Homer could play a fair game of backgammon? As for musical instruments, they possessed the psaltery, harp, flute, and that most ancient instrument, the cymbal, which is spoken of as long ago as 1580 B. C. The flute was the invention of Hayaginus, 1506 B. C. Organs were invented by Archimedes, 220 B. C.; and Nero played upon the melodious bagpipe 51 A. D.

A young lady of about sixteen summers called for a glass of soda water. When asked what syrup she preferred, she glanced her lovely eyes over the various names which appeared on the faucets of the fountain. She read over the names of strawberry, cream, lemon, etc., until she reached nectarine. "Nectarine!" exclaimed the beauty, "what is that? What does it taste like?" The soda man looked meekly at her, and charmingly replied that it tasted as sweet as a young lady's lips. "Then I will take a glass, sir, with that syrup," said the charming creature. He immediately prepared a glass of the delightful mixture and handed it over to the young lady, who raised it to her lips, which bewitchingly parted to receive the contents. She sippingly quaffed the cooling beverage, and, handing back the glass, she innocently remarked that now she knew why the young gentlemen found so much pleasure in kissing her so often.

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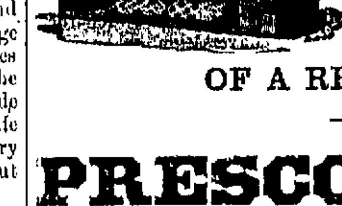

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A quantity of second-hand instruments to rent.

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May 20, 1875—wtf—deowtf.

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March 12, 1875-dtf

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Sept. 11-dawtf.

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April 12-d2m w2m

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May 28, 1875-dawtf.

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June 1, 1875—dawtf.

W. T. CUSSINS,

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D. L. BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

St. Nicholas Hotel,

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Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

Dr. A. S. Waltz,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street, June 18, 1873—d3m08*

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.

April 15, 1875-dwtf.

H. L. ODOR. R. R. ELDRIDGE

ODOR & ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store. [July 3, 1874-dly

EDWIN PARK,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, and Notary Public. Office: Over Millikin's Bank. [June19,'74-tf.

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office:—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill.

Dec 13, 1873-dawtf.

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store ast Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

J. Stebbins King, M. D.,

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DAY OR NIGHT

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May 21, 1874-dawtf.

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BUNN & BROWN,

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS at law, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Warren & Durfee's real estate office, southeast corner of East Main and Water Sts.

Jan. 26, 1875-dawtf.

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. 1-daw.1

R. B. GRUELLE,

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HAVING opened my Studio on the south side of the New Square, over Stoner's drug store, I am prepared to paint Portraits in the highest style of the art, at low prices. Satisfaction guaranteed.

May 20, 1875-dawtf

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REAL ESTATE

AND

LOAN AGENTS!

OFFER FOR SALE some of the choicest property in Macon county. Call and examine our list.

Agents for Milwaukee Life Insurance Company.

OFFICE—No. 8 Water street, second floor,

Apr21,'71-tf.) DECATUR, ILLS.

DR. P. B. SPARKS,

HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.

OFFICE:—Over the new Post Office. Residence—No. 41 North Main street.

April 21, 1874—d6m*.

A. T. HILL

President Decatur Greenwood Cemetery.
President Decatur National Bank.
President Macon County Poultry Association.
Vice President Citizens' Association.
Swamp Land Commissioner for Macon County; and
Notary Public.

OFFICE:—In Decatur National Bank.

March 12, 1875-dtf.

S. D. BLACK, M. D.,

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May 7, 1875-dly.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Thursday, Evening June 3.

COL. D. R. ANTHONY, of the Leavenworth *Times*, is convalescent, and Embry, his assailant, has been discharged from arrest on $5,000 bail.

THE wagon draw-bridge across the Illinois river at Havana was lifted from its abutments by the storm of Tuesday last, and hurled a mass of debris into the river.

THE vicinity of Indianapolis was visited by a violent storm on Tuesday evening, doing considerable damage to railroads by washing away small bridges and culverts.

PROF. RILEY, State Entomologist of Missouri, has been at some pains to dispel the apprehension which seems to be quite generally entertained in this State that the grasshoppers may cross the Mississippi and devour the growing crops. He does not believe that anything of the kind will occur. He is still of the opinion that there will be no eastward advance of the insects, and that those already in the Missouri valley will gradually disappear. Specimens of the grasshoppers forwarded to him by terror-stricken people in Jacksonville showed them to be the common variety.

VICE-PRESIDENT WILSON ON TEMPERANCE.

In the National Temperance Convention, in Chicago, June 1st, Hon. Henry Wilson, Vice-President, was called out and made a strong address. He said: Forty years of experience and observation have taught me that the greatest evil of our country, next, at any rate, to the one that has gone down in fire and blood to rise no more, is the evil of intemperance. (Applause.) Every day's experience, every hour of reflection teaches me that it is the duty of patriotism, the duty of humanity, the duty of Christianity to live Christian lives, and to exert temperance influence among the people. There was a time when I was younger than I am now, when I hoped to live long enough to see the cause which my heart loves, and my judgment approves, stronger than it is to day. I may be mistaken, gentlemen, but it seems to me that the present is a rather dark and troubled night for that cause, and it is because it so seems to me that I believe it to be the duty of every honest, conscientious, self sacrificing man of the country to speak and work for the cause in every proper and legitimate way, and my reliance for the advancement of the cause of temperance is the same reliance which I have for the spread of the gospel of our Divine Lord and Master. The heart, the conscience, the reason, must be appealed to continually and Christian men and women must remember that the heart of Christianity is temperance. If it costs a sacrifice, give it. What is the sacrifice to the doing good and lifting toward heaven our fellow men? We have got to rely on appeals and addresses made to the heart of this nation, the conscience of the people and the reason of the country. We have got to train up our children in the cause from infancy. We must teach it in the schools and everywhere, by word, and, above all, by example. And it seems to me that Christian ministers, in this dark hour of our country, when they see so much intemperance and what looks to some of us like a reaction, that the voice of the pulpits of this land should be heard. Members of Christian Churches should remember that they have something to do in this cause. If anything stands in the way of Christianity it is the drunkenness in our land. A word for temperance at this time is the strongest blow against the kingdom of Satan, and for the cause of our Lord and Master. I suppose you have been disappointed. I suppose that many of your views have failed, but we know that we are right. (Applause.) We personally feel and see it. The evidence is around and about us, so that we cannot be mistaken in living total abstinence lives, and recommending such a course to our neighbors. When it costs something to stand by the temperance cause, then is the hour to stand by it. If I could be heard to-day by the people of the land, by the patriotic young men of this country, full of life, vigor and hope, I would say that it is among the first, highest and grandest duties which the country, God and the love of humanity impose, to work for the cause of total abstinence.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. A. G. Chilberg, of St Louis, agent for the *Aldine*, is in town to day

Mr. M. H. Beck, formerly book keeper at Linn & Scruggs, now of St Louis, is in town to-day.

Truman S. Calssey, the young tobacconist, started on a business tour through the eastern part of this State and Indiana this morning.

We are glad to learn that Wm. Linthicum, Esq., who has been very sick for two weeks past, is now rapidly convalescing, and will be fully recovered in a few days.

Engine for Sale.—A No. 4 H. P Roper caloric engine, in good running order. H W. HILL & Co.
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

THE ONE HUNDRED AND ONETH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Evarts' Sarcasm More Bitter and Cutting.

THE NOBLE RED MEN REFUSE TO SIGN THE TREATY.

Proceedings of the Ohio Republican Convention.

NOMINATION OF R. B. HAYES FOR GOVERNOR.

Points of Platform Adopted by Them.

THE NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGISLATURE MEETS AMID GREAT EXCITEMENT.

Withdrawal of Republican Senators.

COLUMBUS, O., June 2.—The morning session of the Republican State Convention was devoted to routine business. A special committee was appointed to invite Gen. Sherman, now in the city, to visit the Convention.

General Sherman addressed the State Republican Convention briefly. He alluded to the death of his old staff officer, James McCoy, whom he had just seen laid away in a beautiful, quiet spot, just east of the city, and said he came here merely as a mark of respect. He hoped the gentlemen of the convention would be endowed with wisdom to make nominations which are so important.

The ticket selected is as follows: For Governor, Rutherford B. Hayes, of Sandusky; Lieut. Governor, Thomas L. Young, of Hamilton; Judge of Supreme Court, George W. McShane; Auditor, Jas. Williams; Attorney General John Little, Treasurer, J. Minor Milliken. Mr. Hayes' nomination was made unanimous. Hayes has accepted the nomination. The platform affirms:

1st. The unity of the States and individual equality.

2d. Gradual equalization of coin and paper values.

3d. Tariff for revenue with incidental protection to American industry.

4th. Free education.

5th. That a State cannot legislate on religion.

6th. Demands revision of the patent laws.

7th. Provisions should be made for soldiers and sailors in adjusting bounties.

8th. Demands that the public domain be reserved for actual settlers.

9th. Approves the Government's course in collecting revenues, and punishing frauds.

10th. Calls for restriction of expenses.

11th. The retirement of Washington after his second term should be regarded as the unwritten law of the Republic.

12th Gen. Grant's administration entitles him to the gratitude of the country.

A ratification meeting was held to-night, which was addressed by Judge Taft, in which he pledged himself to do all in his power to secure the election of the ticket nominated to-day.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The President had a counsel with the Indians, to-day, in which he explained the agreement that had been drawn relinquishing the right to hunt in Nebraska, and reserving to them the country north of Niobrara river. Outside of their reservation, all the country north of the North Platte is to be considered as unceded territory. By this they give up portions of this country and the reserved part where the Red Cloud's and Spotted Tail's agencies are located. He said the twenty-five thousand dollars was a present, and was to be given in money. He offered to allow them to name a person to receive the money and buy such things as they wanted, if the person named was a proper person to receive it. He expressed his desire to see them well provided for during his term of office, and asked them again to consider the question of removing to the Indian Territory.

Spotted Tail said the government was asking too much, that a certain portion of their country had never been ceded, and he wanted to know when they were to be paid for that. He alluded to the section which they still intended to retain. He declined to sign this agreement, and said he would go home to his people and send word back what he would do. He was told the money would lapse into the Treasury on June 13th, and asked if some one here could hold it until they could return to their country and send word back what his people would do Much further conversation followed upon the subject, and the President was finally compelled to leave, the Indians having declined to sign the agreement.

LOUISVILLE, June 2.—A terrific rain and wind storm passed over this city to-night, doing great damage. The middle portion of the large Masonic and widows and orphans home just completed, was demolished. Several buildings were blown down.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Evarts continued his address this morning. He said that they would consider the probable attitude, tone and reception of the accusation which marked the first interview between the accusing husband and adulterer. Was adultery to be treated like a cut finger or a bruised brow, when the injured husband met the defiler of his marriage bed and shame of his children? The jury can imagine if there be at the bottom an opinion on the part of the accuser, and consciousness on the part of the accused.

Mr. Evarts argued that the whole conversation was inconsistent with the charge of adultery. Under such circumstances it was plain Tilton didn't wish to ameliorate Beecher's feelings towards Bowen. He said Bowen inspired the letter of the 26th, and that Bowen wished to destroy the editor of the *Christian Union*. That Bowen said Beecher was wolf in sheep's clothing, and that he had been guilty of adulteries for twenty-five years. In addition it was rather interesting to consider the reason Tilton said Bowen gave for not making an attack upon Beecher himself. Bowen said he couldn't initiate proceedings because, at the settlement of their difficulties, he had forgiven Beecher his crimes. These crimes, according to Bowen, had been going on for twenty-five years. Where did Bowen get power to forgive them? After all this talk about Bowen and this letter, Tilton spoke about Elizabeth and her shame. This aroused Beecher's interest, and he asked Tilton what he meant by it. Tilton went on to declare that his wife made the charges against Beecher in the previous July, and that she made it under the promise that he wouldn't use it against Beecher. If he made such pledge he had broken it, according to his own statement. He had written the letter of December 26, which was intended, he said, to strike Beecher to the heart and drive him out of Brooklyn in twelve hours. Thus, at every step these people took, they were obliged to acknowledge some action, infamous in itself, and in violation of their pledge.

Mr. Evarts then read Tilton's testimony as to his wife's statements to him in July, 1870, and commented on the alleged confession as contrary to nature and probability. Tilton could invent speeches for Tilton, but not for this woman. This alleged confession betrayed no consciousness of guilt on the part of a woman whose eyes flashed fire when they looked on Victoria Woodhull. This was not to be regarded as a possible conversation, when a witness like Beecher declared nothing like it was ever brought to his ears. According to Tilton, his wife told him the secret was one between her and Beecher, her pastor. She then went on to give a deliberate account of her relations with Beecher from the beginning. Was this the way in which an agonized wife, impelled by the stings of conscience, would confess her guilt to an injured husband? Would she not have done it with sobs and tears, with disheveled hair and her face buried in pillows? Mrs. Tilton explained that her first act of adultery with Beecher was the result of her grief for the death of Paul, who she was particular to say was her son, such not being a natural consequence of the state of a mother's mind after her child's death. There was no need to argue about this. [Laughter.] Evarts went on to show the absurdity of this conversation as repeated by Tilton. He then spoke of the uncertainty expressed by Mrs. Tilton as to the criminality of committing adultery with Beecher, and said that if such was the state of mind of a woman, confessed by her husband to be a pure minded woman, thirty-five years of age, and the mother of six children, we must ask maidens at the altar their opinion on the propriety of such acts, in order to avoid any difference of opinion between them and their husbands. [Laughter] Evarts then referred to Mrs. Tilton's explanation of the way in which her scruples were overcome as a sentence almost as long and involved as those which the newspapers accused him of using. Since Tilton was informed that the crime had been committed, it must have been pleasant for him to have the manner of it thus carefully explained. [Laughter.] Evarts resumed his address to the jury.

After recess he continued to consider the alleged confession of Mrs. Tilton She said that Beecher said he wished to find in her the solace of life and help to his mind which an unhappy marriage denied him at home. What became then of the twenty-five years of adulteries from Indianapolis down? 'Twas rather late in life for him to fall in love and seek this alleviation of his domestic misery for the first time, when he had reached the age of 56; had been the father of nine children; was a grandfather, and had been faithful to his wife since they were both 15. Mrs. Tilton said she resisted Beecher's solicitations for years, sometimes even bodily. What was to be thought of the chastity of a woman who calmly confessed such a course of conduct during a series of years? Yet Tilton thought he had cast the white robe of chastity over his wife when he put such language in her mouth. Why, or how she was transferred from 174 Livingstone street to the house of her tempter on October 10th, 1868, was yet unexplained. Was she carried there in her sleep?

Evarts here described what Tilton called his wife's awakening to the sin of adultery. For a year it had never occurred to her that there was anything wrong about it; but all at once the thought burst upon her that, after all, "two" bad fellows might not be right. It was not so much the adultery that troubled her as the thought that Theodore didn't know about it She told him all in order to relieve her mind. This is Theodore's version. Can any intelligent person believe that; that a woman, active in Christian work, brought up under Christian influences, familiar with the Commandments, could go on committing adultery with her pastor, quite unconscious that she was sinning. But those who believe Theodore Tilton must believe this.

After arraigning Tilton, and showing that discrepancies existed in his own testimony, counsel gave some of Beecher's testimony to show what was the true condition of affairs at the time of the interview.

CONCORD, N. H., June 2.—The Legislature met to-day amidst the greatest excitement. In the Senate the 12 Senators elected presented themselves, and in the presence of the Governor and Senate were qualified. A formal protest against the rights of Senators Priest and Proctor to seats were presented by Senator Whitney and ordered on file.

The ballot for President resulted in the election of John W. Sanborn, of Wakefield, who received the seven Democratic votes, the Repuglicans not voting. Five Republican Senators then withdrew from the Chamber, and other officers were chosen. The seceding Senators met in another room and organized temporarily by electing G. A. Stowell, President, and Tyler Westgate, Clerk after which they adjourned.

A motion to refer the matter to a committee of six was lost, 189 to 178. Adjourned.

Chas. P. Sanborn, Repub., was elected Speaker, receiving 190 votes against 179 for Albert R. Hatch, Dem. A message from the Senate was received announcing that they had organized. The protest of five Republican Senators was also received, stating they had taken the oath, but refused to act with the body as long as Messrs. Priest and Proctor of district numbers two and four were allowed seats in the body. The protest was placed on file.

A resolution was introduced directing the Speaker to obtain the opinion of the Supreme Court on the constitutionality of the action of the Governor and council in the matter of Senators Priest and Proctor.

FORT GIBSON, I. T., June 2.—Millions of grasshoppers essayed their new wings on Sunday, rising like swarms of bees, and started in a westerly direction. The air was filled, like a cloud over the sun, at 10 o'clock. The Grand, Verdigris and Arkansas rivers were covered with the dead hoppers that failed to fly across at the start. We bid them adieu without a pang or regret.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, June 2.—Reports from the country concerning Monday's storm confirm the statement that the loss of crops of every description is immense. Fruit, corn and grain crops ruined about one-fourth. Loss to property is heavy. A herder named Jas. Stanley, of Fern, Neb., while tending a herd near Big Grove, Pottowatamie county, Iowa, was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

Special Notice.—Persons indebted to Chenoweth, Walston & Co., will find their accounts in the hands Drs. R. L Walston & C. Chenoweth, to whom I have sold my interest in the concern.—Immediate settlement is requested.

Drs. Walston & Chenoweth will conduct all professional business at the Surgical Institute as heretofore.

I will continue the practice of medicine and surgery. Office at my residence, No. 7 West Main street.

2-d&wtw W. J. CHENOWETH, M. D.

Caution.—We wish to caution users of Dr. Price's cream baking powder against buying it in bulk Unprincipled dealers are mixing flour, cheap powder and other substances with it and selling it as Dr. Price's. Some, too, are filling large cans that have Dr. Price's name on them with common powder, and weighing it out to customers as Dr. Price's. The only safe way is to buy it in cans, and to see that their trade marks, the words Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, and the hand and cornucopia, are on the box. Do not buy it if label is broken. Observe this caution, and we will warrant that you will find Dr. Price's powder to make the lightest, sweetest, and healthiest bread, biscuits, cakes, &c., with one third less quantity than any other baking powder in the market. Steele & Price sole manufacturers.

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THE RUSH TO KANSAS AND COLORADO.

The indications are that the rush to Kansas and Colorado will be greater than ever in 1874. The shortest way to reach the Far West is through St. Louis, the great Mississippi-Valley City, of over 450,000 inhabitants, and thence west over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, which reaches all the great land grants in the West, and runs six fast Express trains, two more than any other road, between the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers. This road, in the last two years, has expended over two million dollars, besides earnings, in extraordinary improvement of roadway, in relaying its line with best quality of new steel and iron rails, on broad, new ties, and in passenger equipment, having substituted for ordinary cars new reclining chair coaches, with every appliance for comfort and safety, being elegantly carpeted and fitted with dressing rooms, with toilet conveniences for ladies, gentlemen and families traveling with children, *free of any extra charge.* Any ticket agent selling through tickets to the West will furnish tickets by this excellent route through St. Louis, over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, the best and shortest to Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, California and the Great West, it being the only line running through cars between St. Louis and Omaha. For map, circulars and time-tables address either F. A. Palmer, Indianapolis, Ind.; or P. B. Groat, St. Louis, Mo., either of whom will furnish any information desired. [jan 8wtf

New Advertisements.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

Decatur National Bank, at Decatur, in the State of Illinois, at the close of business, May 1, 1875.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 86,311 97
Overdrafts	8,218 80
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000 00
Due from other National Banks	1,078 40
Due from State Banks & bankers	1,377 45
Real estate, furniture & fixtures	15,315 69
Current expense and taxes paid	1,968 50
Premiums paid	15,500 00
Checks and other cash items	196 87
Bills of other National Banks	2,201 00
Fractional currency (including nickels)	511 06
Legal-tender notes	6,500 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	4,500 00
Total	$245,225 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus Fund	4,000 00
Other undivided profits	7,231 83
National Bank notes outstanding	89,700 00
Individual deposits subject to check	32,097 95
Demand certificates of deposit	4,595 15
Time certificates of deposit	5,975 50
Due to other National Banks	1,625 37
Total	$245,225 80

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

I, James P. Moore, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. P. MOORE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 1875. HARL. P. CHRISTIE.

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Decatur, June 1, 1875—d&wly

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Henry Price, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday the 21st day of June, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

THOMAS M. PRICE, Executor.
Decatur, May 6, 1875—w6w

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Patrick Malloy, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 12th day of July, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

FRANCIS SKELLEY, Executor.
May 20, 1875—w6w

Administratrix' Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of Daniel C. Spence, deceased, late of Macon county, Ill., will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on MONDAY, the 21st day of June, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

SARAH A. SPENCE,
May 6, 1875—w6w* Administratrix.

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March 11, 1875-3m wtf

The Daily Republican

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Thursday Evening, June

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce M. HATCH as a candidate for Member of Board of Education, at the election, J[une] 8th.

We are authorized to announce JO[HN] ULLRICH as a candidate for membe[r of] the Board of Education, at the elec[tion] June 8, 1875.

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..Strawberries, sweet potatoes other luxuries, at Adams & Bendo on Prairie street.

..A youngster who ran away Bloomington a few days since was back to that city by express, C. O. this morning.

..Try those nobby five cent cigar Niedermyer's.

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..The streets are alive with ladie day, and dry goods stores are havi large trade.

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..Mr. John Ullrich's residence, O[le]atur street, is rapidly approaching [com]pletion. The rafters have all bee and roofing will soon commence. & Harry, the contractors, are gettin work along as rapidly as possible, will have the dwelling finished ready for occupation within the two months.

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..The incendiaries who set fire old out-building on the north side park Tuesday night, are, it is th known. Mr. Wood Pedlecord "voices in the night"—one wanti cry "fire," and the other trying t him quiet. The voices sounded far, but Wood cannot now place Perhaps after mature reflection he be able to tell whose the voices we

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Thursday Evening, June 3.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

☞ Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

☞ We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce M. K. HATCH as a candidate for Member of the Board of Education, at the election, June 8th.

We are authorized to announce JOHN ULLRICH as a candidate for member of the Board of Education, at the election June 8, 1875.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

..Oakes' celebrated home-made candies, at Imboden & Co.'s.

..Strawberries are selling to-day at twenty-five cents per box.

..Let the hungry be fed by calling at Stephens' bakery, on South Main street.

..The chariot wheels of the hippodrome and circus are heard in the distance.

..Strawberries, sweet potatoes and other luxuries, at Adams & Bendure's, on Prairie street.

..A youngster who ran away from Bloomington a few days since was sent back to that city by express, C. O. D., this morning.

..Try those nobby five-cent cigars, at Niedermyer's.

..A full assortment of hair brushes, at W. C. Armstrong's.

..The streets are alive with ladies to-day, and dry goods stores are having a large trade.

..A fine lot of pickled white fish, at D. M. Barnett & Co.'s.

..Let the lame and halt cure their corns by having boots made to order by J. P. Marsh. Ladies will find a choice variety of shoes at this establishment.

..Mr. John Ullrich's residence, on Decatur street, is rapidly approaching completion. The rafters have all been set, and roofing will soon commence. Mills & Hurry, the contractors, are getting the work along as rapidly as possible, and will have the dwelling finished and ready for occupation within the next two months.

..I. J. Davis & Co are selling beautiful chromos and steel plate engravings very cheap.

..Mr. C. Kirkpatrick has our thanks for a box of delicious strawberries. He has them fresh every morning, in Cantrall's building, North Main street.

..The incendiaries who set fire to the old out building on the north side of the park Tuesday night, are, it is thought, known. Mr. Wood Peddecord heard "voices in the night"—one wanting to cry "fire," and the other trying to keep him quiet. The voices sounded familiar, but Wood cannot now place them. Perhaps after mature reflection he may be able to tell whose the voices were.

..Flor del Fumar cigars, at Kepler's.

..A full line of superior trusses, adapted to persons of any age or size, at Snyder & Gue's

..A house of ill repute, which was established on Webster street a short time ago, found quarters rather too warm in that locality, and the house was broken up. For several days past the quiet denizens of that street have suspicioned that this was a house of ill-fame, but as they had no positive proof they could not do anything. Yesterday, however, they ascertained "beyond a reasonable doubt," that their suspicions had grounds in fact. They therefore formed a plan of operations and informed the mistress who conducted the house, that if she and her harlots did not immediately "light out" they would have the house torn down. It is hardly necessary to add that they "lit," and have not been heard of since. If all our people were as resolute and determined as the Webster street denizens are, there would soon be no such houses known in our community.

..An extra choice lot of brooms, at Newell & Hammer's.

Parasols, Fans, Ruches, Ties and Kid Gloves, at Goldburg's. [2-d4t w1t

Better Drainage.—The need of a more perfect drainage in the western part of the city is keenly felt after every heavy rain. The large stream of water which is sent coursing through the small culvert between Church and Union streets, overflows all the residence lots, cellars and cisterns in the vicinity, whenever anything more than an ordinary "sun-shower" falls. The culverts are neither wide nor deep enough, nor have they enough fall, to drain off the large amount of water which is turned into them. If the matter of drainage in that locality does not receive the immediate attention of our city council, we predict that it will not be very long until numberless suits against the city for damages are instituted.

Corsets—the largest and best stock at the lowest prices, sold at Goldburg's.
2-d4t w1t

MARRIED.

On Tuesday, May 11th, by C. B Hutchinson, J. P., MR. WM. H BAILEY and MISS JOSEPHINE McCLURE.

BOLD BURGLARY.

Mr. C. Elwood's House Entered and his Pants Lightened of a Fine Gold Watch and a Pocket-book.

This morning just as day was breaking in the east, Mrs. C. Elwood was awakened by hearing a window-blind slam violently when there was no breeze astir. Feeling satisfied that burglars were in the house, Mrs. E. roused her husband and told him that thieves had paid them a visit. Mr. E. sprang from his bed, and on finding his pants missing found another pair, and started in pursuit of the burglars with wonderful alacrity for a man of his avoirdupois.—He saw the burglar's coat tail flying around the corner of the Franklin house. Mr. Elwood followed as best he could, found his pants in the rear of Thomas Flinn's residence lot, and a bunch of keys, which were in the pockets, were afterward found in the street near the "little brown jug."

The police were informed of the transaction, and they kept a sharp lookout for the man. Not long afterwards four suspicious looking individuals were seen hurrying northward on the Illinois Central railroad track. Officer Condon and Tucker soon agreed on a *modus operandi* for making the arrest. The careful Condon was to pursue them, while Tucker boarded the passenger train for the north, and stopped off when he passed the four. Thus the officers got their prey "foul," and had little difficulty in arresting them. The fellows evidently had anticipated the arrest, for they had secreted the watch and pocket-book. Nothing was found on their person that could implicate them, and they complained loudly when they were taken and lodged in the calaboose.

Circumstantial evidence against one of the parties is gradually accumulating. The shoes taken from this man's feet were found to exactly fit the tracks which were left in the yard. Other important evidence, all pointing to his guilt, is being unearthed.

The four men, who are now confined in the calaboose, were seen yesterday evening loitering around Mr Elwood's residence, and from their appearance Mr. E. avowed they were intending no good.

The missing pocket-book contained about $19 in money, besides some notes, accounts and other valuable papers. The watch was a fine gold time-piece, valued at $200 a present to Mr. E., which he prized very highly.

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Mr. Elwood informs us that the police men went to the spot where they made the arrest and scrutinized every inch of ground. They succeeded in finding the watch, and have returned it to Mr. E., who was exceedingly rejoiced on receiving back his much-valued present. The pocket-book has not yet been found, but the officers intend to search for it again this afternoon.

The prisoners were arraigned before 'Squire Hughes this morning, and gave their names as Wm. Gray, Thomas Russell, Thomas Sullivan and John Dunnivan. They are all charged with being implicated in the stealing. The preliminary examination will take place in Justice Hughes' court this afternoon.

For Rent.—Large two story brick house of eight rooms; large lot, plenty of fruit, good stable and carriage house, and other outhouses; gas in each room. For rent at a resonable rent to good tenant.
Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

Ladies', Misses' and Boys' Suits, *very cheap*, at Goldburg's. [d4t w1t

A Fatal Stroke of Lightning.—During the heavy thunder-storm of yesterday a cow belonging to Fred. Aholtz, who lives on Mason street, was killed by a stroke of lightning while grazing just east of D. F. Hamsher's wagon shop. The same bolt shocked Mrs. Carrigan, who lives just across the way from where the animal was grazing, so that she could not raise her hand to her head for some time. One of the workmen in Mr. Hamsher's shop was also rendered nearly senseless from the effects of the thunderbolt. This is the second time lightning has struck in that vicinity this season.

Edward R. Hurst, Architect. Plans and specifications on short notice. 17 W. Cerro Gordo St. 3-d3d

Exercises by the High School Graduating Class.—We call attention to the exercises of the graduating class which are to come off at the opera house to-morrow evening, the programme of which will be found in another place.

Lewis & Milligan are selling an extra article of family washing soap, that is much liked by all who use it.

Wet Enough.—The rain of yesterday took a wider range than that of Sunday a week ago. In a southwesterly direction, as far as Blue Mound, about the same amount of water fell as here, and for the same distance to the south and southeast; and from the best information obtainable up to this writing, we judge that the county generally was pretty well watered. Farmers in some sections are being hindered about cultivating their corn by an excess of water, and so far as this vicinity is concerned, nothing would suffer from drought should no more rain fall for two or three weeks.

Ladies' Underwear handsomely made up and sold very cheap, at Goldburg's.

Boarding House.—The undersigned has taken possession of the house, at the corner of William and Church streets, known as the Trowbridge property, where she will keep a first-class boarding house, and accommodate guests by the day, week or meal, at reasonable rates.
may6-d3m MRS. C. W. WILLIAMS.

For the REPUBLICAN.

SEWERAGE CONTINUED.

Mr. M. F. thinks it my intention to create ill-feeling among the people against the sewer improvement; the is correct. I presume he would acknowledge it was *his* intention to argue a sufficient number into the support of the scheme. Now I will do him the justice to say, that I believe he is honest in his endeavors, whether he thinks I am in mine or not.

Why should I not be honest in attempting to set people against it, when I sincerely believe that to tax the city at large to any extent whatever to make the sewer as proposed, would be the most unjust act ever perpetrated by a city government? I trust I will not have occasion to express fully my real sentiments about the matter, at the same time I am not going to fall out with those who differ with me; even if the thing was of public utility it is altogether questionable whether the work should be undertaken now. True, as a city we may not owe more than $40,000 or $50,000. But do we not owe a district school debt of $60,000, a township railroad debt of $50,000, a county railroad debt of $200,000 or over? And does not every one know that a very large portion of all the interest on this indebtedness is paid by the city, and that eventually the city will have to foot a large portion of the principal? What matters it then whether we pay this indebtedness, as a city, as a township, or county. A very large portion of it stands against us, and this fact should not be overlooked in the hatching out of new schemes for spending the earnings of our people.

But some will say the money expended in making the sewer will be spent right here among us, etc., etc. True. And it is equally as true that by the time the sewer was finished, a large majority of the workmen who made it would have just about as much of the money as they had at the end of the first week after its commencement. The largest portion of it would pass and repass through the "business part of town," where much of it would stick as permanent again.

Now I would suggest that, if in the face of our great indebtedness, the city authorities cannot get along without identifying themselves with a forty or fifty thousand dollar loan—as a kind of memorial—that they use the money in locating some permanent manufacturing establishment among us that will not only add to our population and give permanent employment to many citizens, but will continually add wealth to the city. Would this not be much better than spending it for a purely local object, without any prospect whatever of its becoming a source of revenue, or of its adding anything to the population or real wealth of the city?

As regards my sympathy for the laboring classes, the only question is, whether I'm capable of sympathy or not. I have been intimately associated with them more or less for thirty-five years, and have certainly had opportunities for exercising the quality if I had it, but for that matter you, can let all the sympathy go. Call it all bosh if you like, or whatever else you please, there is something more than sympathy involved in this matter—there is principle and justice, and it is for these I contend.

Since this controversy commenced several men have told me how they have had to drain the cellars under their dwellings. Some of them have spent over $60 in doing so; others want cellars and cannot have them. Still you would have them taxed to drain the cellars of others.

I would call attention to the case of Mrs. Blackburn, who lives on Mason st. Owing to the fault of the street supervisor the side ditch in front of her dwelling filled up so that after every hard rain the water completely flooded her yard. She sued the city, and the case was decided against her. Here was an instance where, if the city had kept the side-ditch well open the water would not have bothered her to any extent.—There are other lots in the city similarly situated, but the owners have no recourse, simply for the reason that the city is not bound to keep people's lots from overflowing. Neither is it under any obligations to go into the cellar-drying business.

There was nothing in any of my former articles intended to apply to the assessment of fine residences. I do not presume there is any one in the city that would have a $20,000 or $30,000 residence assessed as much in proportion to its cost as a residence only costing $3,000 or $4,000, or a less amount. I referred exclusively to business houses in the proposed sewer district. Those are the ones I expect to "show up." M. F. says these pay $200 each into the city treasury every year, and he inquires, "Ought not the bulk of this tax to be spent in front and for the benefit of these premises?" You might as well have said that J. Millikin, and a number of others I could name, should receive personal benefit, or at least have some control over the large school tax they pay.

All taxation should be for the good of the public, and it should not be thought a hard fate, if a few have to suffer for the public's good. But the public should never suffer for the personal interests of the few.

It is extremely unpleasant to have to allude to personal matters in a controversy of the present kind, but the "Indian pow-wow in the swamps of Louisiana," and its comparison with a German social gathering, is a fabrication from beginning to end. I have no objection whatever to German social gatherings, nor to gatherings of any other nationality.

In conclusion I would state that I own half interest in a small business house (having a leaky cellar under it) in the "business part of the city," or at least in the outskirts of the business part. To ask the city to drain this cellar would, in my opinion, be one of the meanest *little* things I could ask. Moreover I know how to remedy the difficulty, and could do it about as cheap, perhaps, as I could tap a sewer if the latter was made, and this doubtless would be the case in many other instances. The fact is, it is no wonder that the cellars in question leak; it looks as though it was intended they should at the start.

It is quite likely that if the proposition was now made to the "business portion of the city" to go ahead and dry their cellars at their own expense, by sewerage, or in any other manner they might chose, they, like sensible men, would soon find a much cheaper and equally effective plan. A.

CIRCUIT COURT.

21st DAY—JUNE 2—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Court convened at 1½ o'clock, p. m., and cases were disposed of as follows:

Jacob Frick, appellant, vs. Wm. R. Whitaker; appeal; trial by jury; verdict for plaintiff. Damages $24.

James W. Dougherty vs. John B. Bowen, appellant. Motion to dismiss appeal for want of bond. Cross-motion to amend bond allowed; rule to amend, by fifth Monday.

Thomas H. Morris vs. Chas. H. Barr; appeal; dismissed.

22d DAY—MORNING SESSION, JUNE 3.

David C. Hickman vs. Frances L. McPherson; replevin. Death of defendant suggested; legal representative made party defendant.

Warner & Beers, appellants, vs. Wyatt T. Cherry. Trial by jury, pending which court adjourned.

[There being six cases in which Warner & Beers are plaintiffs, all involving the same issues, this is to be considered a test case, and all the defendants join in the defense.]

HIGH SCHOOL EXERCISES.

Friday Evening, June 4th.

OPENING ODE.

Prayer,............Dr. Wm. Stevenson.
"The Sweet Wild Rose,"......Duet.
Cobwebs,...........Miss Celia Shupp.
Friendship,.......Miss Grace Adams.
The Omniscient,....Miss Minta Fulton.
"All the world's a stage, and all
the men and women merely
players,"........Miss Cora Johnston.
The Chiming Bells,..........Quartette.
"I have gathered a posy of other
men's flowers, and nothing but
the thread that binds them is my
own,".........Miss Nellie Corneau.
Fairy Friends,......Miss Belle Fulton.
Memory,.............Albert Summers.
Tangles,...........Miss Lily Babbitt.
"Beyond the Alps Lies Italy,"
—Miss Leora Emerson.
German Chorus.
One Hundred Years Ago, Harry Durfee.
"I dreamed, and thought that Life
was beauty; I woke and found that
Life was duty,"..Miss Tillie Norman.
Hidden Springs,.....Miss Lucy Irwin.
The Long Ago,......Miss Carrie Foster.
Awarding Diplomas.
Class Song.
Benediction,......Rev. W. W. DeWolf.

RAILROAD NEWS.

The amount of fruit which is being shipped from the southern part of this State to the north is simply enormous. The American Express Co., which has control of the express business on the Illinois Central Railroad, is reaping a handsome profit. So much fruit has been shipped northward that the company has been compelled to put on extra cars.

Several car loads of large sized water pipes passed through the city this morning on the Ill. Central for the north—The pipe came from Louisville, Ky., and will be laid in the streets of Cedar Rapids, Iowa before long.

A large amount of building material passes through the city on the different railroads, and is used in building new bridges, improving tracks, etc. All the roads entering here are gradually improving with age.

New Newspaper Enterprise.—The Oakland *Herald* is a new paper just started by the "Herald Printing Company," at Oakland, Ill., with J. W. Crane as editor. The sheet presents a good appearance in its make-up, and promises to be a spicy, readable journal. All success to this new candidate for public favors.

To Walk Gracefully is a rare accomplishment, and one that can be attained only by wearing a well-shaped boot or shoe. V. Barber & Co. have a very choice stock of beautifully turned goods, adapted to summer wear, which they will be pleased to show to customers.—Any and all will be sure to suit themselves from this well-selected stock.
3-daw1w

Walter Delahunty having been "squelched out" by both fire and water, from the dilapidated shanty, on East Main street, east of the telegraph office, has associated with him in business Mr. John McMahon, (formerly with Armstrong), and the new firm may be found on the northwest corner of the old square, second story, sign of the big boot. They refer to customers who wear their boots and shoes. 3-eod2w

Notions, Fancy Goods, Trimmings, Embroideries, &c., at Goldburg's.
[2-d4t w1t

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

Residence Lots for Sale.—The undersigned will now offer for sale lots in Resurvey of Block 8, Read & Co.'s Addition to Decatur, better known as the late residence of Dr. Read, deceased.—Any information in regard to the above lots can be had by calling on James A. Read, at the Banking House of Peddecord & Barrows.
May 17-d1m ELIZABETH READ.

All Ready.—Immense stock of boots and shoes, just received by Powers, Ferriss & Co., for spring trade—all good goods. All ready now to show the latest styles—stock all in—biggest variety we ever had. dtf

Cash Paid for Cast-off Clothing.—Also fine clothing repaired and scoured. Satisfaction guaranteed.
M. S. GOETZ,
Central Block; opposite Priest's Hotel.
13-d1m

Window Shades put up, and carpets put down, by Ashby. 27-dtf

Correction.—It having been reported that I keep a second-hand furniture store, I take this method of correcting such report. I keep nothing but the best goods and by selling them so low may have caused some to think them second hand. Don't be alarmed, I have plenty more at the same price. Great reduction on spring beds and mattresses. Priest House block.
May 25-dtf L. A. DRAKE.

Boarders Wanted.—A number of boarders can be accommodated with pleasant rooms and good board, at No 44 South Main street.
18-d1m MRS. C. MILLER.

For Rent.—Dwelling house on West Prairie street; six rooms, good well, all in good condition. Terms reasonable.
Apply to A. A. MURRAY.
4-dtf

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

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MADAME DEMOREST'S PATTERNS
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A Job Lot of Corsets,
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Apr 17-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Doctors Disagree as to the treatment of all diseases, from the mildest ailment to the deadliest epidemic, but the fact that the CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS is conquering maladies which have defied the faculty, renders these professional differences of little consequence. While Dyspepsia, Gout, Rheumatism, Urinary Complaints, Billiousness, Nervous Disabilities, and all disorders not organic, are obliterated by this matchless vegetable tonic and alterative, who cares for opinions? daw4w

For Sale.—V. H. Park has a No. 1 family horse, jump-seat buggy and harness, for sale at a bargain. Buggy and harness nearly new. Enquire of G. M Bruce, or at No. 23 West William street.
May 25-d10d

SODA WATER,
ICE CREAM,
LEMONADE,
SWEET CIDER,
At the old established Confectionery, 26 East Main street.
Meals at all hours. 8-dtf

RETAIL MARKET.

String Beans, per peck	1.50
Gooseberries, " quart	15
Strawberries, " box	40
Cucumbers, apiece	15
Cauliflower per head	20@35
New Potatoes per peck	1.00
Peas, per peck,	75@80
Pie plant, per bunch,	5
Asparagus, per bunch,	5
New Onions, per bunch,	6
Spinach, per bunch,	5
Beets, per pound,	2
Turnips, per peck,	20
Radishes, per bunch,	5
Chickens, per dozen,	3 00
Lettuce, per bunch	5
Beans, " peck	75
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	60
Apples, per bushel,	2.00
Potatoes, " "	1.25@1.40
New Cabbage, per head	10@30
Cider, per gallon,	50
Vinegar, " "	40
Eggs, " dozen,	15
Butter packed, per pound,	20
" fresh, " "	25

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, June 3, 1875.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$.90
" White "	.90
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	3.50
" red "	3.00
" superfine, "	2.50
" middlings, "	1.50
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	1.85
RYE—₩ bushel	.80
CORN—₩ bushel	65
" shelled, per bush	70
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton,	15.00
OATS—₩ bushel,	55
BUCKWHEAT—₩ bushel	60
FLAXSEED—₩ bushel	1.00@1.75
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	3.00
CLOVER SEED— "	7.00
BLUE GRASS— "	2.00
ORCHARD GRASS, "	3.00
REDTOP— "	2.50
HUNGARIAN	1.50
BEANS—₩ bushel	2.00
BUTTER—₩ ℔	20@24
EGGS—per doz.	12½
LARD—₩ ℔	11
BACON—Sides,	12@13
HAMS—sugar-cured,	11
SHOULDERS—per ℔	8@10
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	6.50@7.00
CATTLE— " " "	4.50@6.50
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	5.00
" " " " sheared	3.50
POTATOES—per bu	1 00
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	9
APPLES— " "	8
" Green ₩ bu	1.25
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ₩ ℔	.05
" Salted cured,	.06½@.07
" Calf,	.10
" Dry salt	10
" Dry Flint	13
SHEEP PELTS—	10@60
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ ℔	.50@.55
" Common, ₩ ℔	.35@40
TALLOW—Cake	6
" Barrel	7½

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Of every description, ever opened in this city—and the

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DECATUR, ILL., April 14, 1875—dawtf.

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CASSIMERES!

Variety of Styles, all just from the looms, warranted All-Wool and Fast Colors, suitable for spring, summer and fall wear. Also, a choice selection of

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We are now manufacturing a Superior Article of

JEANS, SATINETS!
FLANNELS,
White and Colored Blankets,
(All Pure Wool.)

STOCKING YARNS,
Assortment of Colors.

Woolen Hosiery,
For Men, Women and Children, made from Yarns of our own manufacture.

We will also pay the Highest Market Price for

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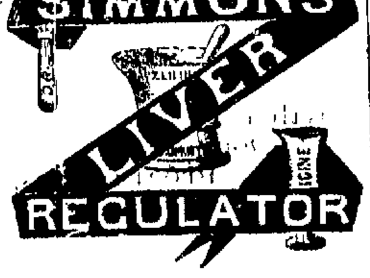
In Cash, or Exchange in Goods.

BOYD, HASKELL & CO.,
Manufacturers.

March 30, 1875—dawtf



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THE SYMPTOMS of Liver Complaint are a bitter or bad taste in the mouth; Pain in the Back, Sides or Joints, often taken for Rheumatism; Sour Stomach; Loss of Appetite; Bowels alternately costive and lax; Headache; Loss of memory, with a painful sensation of having failed to do something which ought to have been done; Debility, Low Spirits, a thick, yellow appearance of the Skin and Eyes, a dry Cough often mistaken for Consumption.

Sometimes many of these symptoms attend the disease, at others very few; but the LIVER, the largest organ in the body, is generally the seat of the disease, and if not Regulated in time, great suffering, wretchedness and DEATH will ensue.

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Late of Columbus, Ohio. [ap5-dtf

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COLIN FERGUSON.
Priest's Hotel, Decatur, Ill.
Dec. 29, 1874-dtf.

ELECTION NOTICE!

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, ILL., May 26th, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Election will be held at the Court-house,

On Tuesday, the 8th Day of June, 1875,

for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education, to serve for the term of three years. Said election will be opened at three o'clock, p. m., and closed at six o'clock, p. m. E. W. MOORE, Prest.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk. [may 26-dtd

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May 3—d1w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Tazewell county, Illinois, in favor of B. S. Prettyman and against The Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad Company, I have levied upon the following described property, being so much of the Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad as lies within the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The roadbed of said Railroad, together with the ties, bridges and iron rails thereon, and all depot buildings, tenements, side tracks, switches and other appurtenances thereto pertaining or in any way composing any part of the said Railroad now lying within the above described limits, taken as property of the said Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad Company, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Macon county, in said State, on 17th day of June, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 26th day of May, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
26-d3w Sheriff Macon County.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE —OF— REAL ESTATE!

BY VIRTUE of an order and decree of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, John E. Kinney, administrator of the estate of Daniel Gahman, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of the said deceased, at the April term of said court, to-wit: on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1875, I shall, on the

24th DAY OF JUNE NEXT,

between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate situate in said county and state, described as follows, to-wit: Lots seven (7) and eight (8), in block three (3), in Reed & Co.'s Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, excepting fifty (50) feet off of the north end thereof; also, lot one (1), in block six (6), in Durfee & King's Addition to the city of Decatur.

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